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Atty. Docket No.: 25436/2242

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Application of: Anderson, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/691,269  
Filed: October 22, 2003  
Entitled: Modified Nucleotides and Methods of  
Labeling Nucleic Acids

Examiner: Unknown

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3. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
4. Return Post Card.

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Respectfully submitted,

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